

DIRTY OLD TOWN

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<i>Intro:</i>	G				C		G	
					D		Em	

Verse 1:

G

I met my love by the gas works wall,

CG

Dreamed a dream by the old canal,

Kissed my girl by the factory wall,

DEm

Dirty old town, dirty old town

Verse 2:

Clouds are drifting across the moon,

Cats are prowling on their beat

Springs a girl from the streets at night,

Dirty old town, dirty old town.

G

Verse 3: I heard a siren from the docks,

CG

Saw a train set the night on fire,

Smelled the spring on the smoky wind,

DEm

Dirty old town, dirty old town.

G

Verse 4: I'm going to make me a good sharp axe,

C G

Shining steel, tempered in the fire,

I'll chop you down like an old dead tree,

D Em

Dirty old town, dirty old town

Repeat Verse 1 I met my love by the gas works wall,

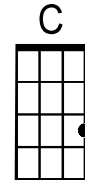
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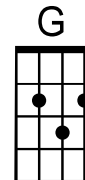
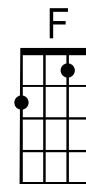
Traditional Irish

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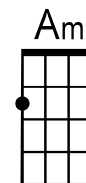
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Kissed my girl by the factory wall,
 G Am
Dirty old town, dirty old town



Verse 2: C
I heard a siren from the docks,
 F C
Saw a train set the night on fire,
 C
Smelled the spring on the smoky wind,
 G Am
Dirty old town, dirty old town.



Verse 3: C
Clouds are drifting across the moon,
 F C
Cats are prowling on their beat
 C
Springs a girl from the streets at night,
 G Am
Dirty old town, dirty old town.



Verse 4: C
I'm going to make me a good sharp axe,
 F C
Shining steel, tempered in the fire,
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I'll chop you down like an old dead tree,
 G Am
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